Former Charges Are Thrown Out and Wilkinson Is Accused

FAST COMMERCIAL LEAGUE CLUB.

Johnny Wilkinson Is Now Accused

McDonnell Writes that Manager Cornell Never Paid Him, and that St. Martin's Leader Offered Him Money.

By C. W. SWAN.

As predicted in these columns less than
a week age, the committee appointed by
President Toung, of the Amateur Com-Manager Wikinson, of the St. Martin's team, of the Independence League. Togarding the paying of players, reported that it could find no grounds for the charges, and all charges were thrown out at a meeting of the commission last

The players and managers accused by

inight.

The players and managers accused by Wilkinson were exonerated fully, as there was no proof against them, and Wilkinson himself was accused of offer-McDonnell, the man whom Cornell is said to have paid, it to catch a game for the St. Martin's team. While Wilkinson did not make the offer himself, it came from a member of the St. Martin's out-th, and McDonnell writes that he over-heard Wilkinson and the member talking just before the effer was made him. This makes another investigating committee necessary, and the following were appointed: C. J. Miller Kenyon, chairman; Thomas Kirby and Harry Fry, whould investigate the charge of President O'Shea, of the Capital City League, who preferred them on the strength of McDonnell's letter and the one of President Boakes, of the Independence League, that President Graf, of the Commercial League, were being paid, but could not prove it. The committee will report at the next meeting, called fire Saturday night.

Graf said he thought players were being paid, but he was unable to obtain the necessary proofs to back up a charge and the committee will endeavor to get the proof.

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that was transacted at the meeting last that was transacted at the meeting last night, as the majority of the time was taken up with wordy arguments.

Many strong words were used last might, and for a time it looked as if the Wilkinson charge would fall on barren ground, but after President by by both teams.

AMATEUR LEAGUE STANDINGS.

BANKERS LEAGUE.

DEPARTMENTAL LEAGUE.

CRACK CATCHER INJURED. Noves Hurt Sliding Into Third in Knotel.

Departmental League Game.

Interacte bent Agriculture yesterday and shored them further in the ceiler. In sliding into their base Noyes, Interacte catcher, was aeriously liuri and shed to be carried to the hospital. It was reported be had broken his ankle and woodd be out of the game for the rest of the near. Score

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H. V. Shuritiff,

Bee'y Amsteur Commission.

Dear Sir; Yenterday I received a letter from you charging me with being professional on the ground that I received money from Mr. Ownell. I swear that I never received a cont of money for playing ball for Mr. Ownell, while I was to Weshinston either while I was to Weshinston either. while I was in Weahington, cithe this year or last. It is impossible to be present at the meeting, for Leannot get away from my present employment, which you know is quite a distance from Wash-

charges, while I was playing on his team, offered me a dollar to catch a game, through one of the members of his team, which I refused. I, myself, overheard Wil-kinson and the above member of the team faiking, just before I was offered the dellar.

Now, I am awfully sorry that I cannot be present at the meeting. for I feel sure that everything will come out all right, and that I could easily prove these charges false. Respectfully yours, CHARLES P. McDONNELL.

DISTRICT WHITEWASHED.

Commercial Applies Brush to the

whitewashed the team from the District



D. N. WALFORD BASEBALL TEAM. Top row, left to right-Jordan, C. Broome, Shipley, Martin, Smith, Gassoway (manager). Bettom row-Frostick, Smoot, Stewart, Goldsmith (mascot), Lewis, Hilleary, Brewer.

PETWORTH TRIMS PARKVIEW, 10 TO 2

Baby Dolls Win Fast Game in Suburban League.

Petworth assumed the lead in the Sut

Is the proof.

James A. O'Shea, who made the motion read that should he be found guity he shall be harred from amateur hall, but President Beach of the District League, made an amendment to the motion, which was carried, stating that Wilkinson, should he be found guity, shall be punished as the commission sees fit.

Several stormy word scraps came to light the meeting and for a time it looked as if there would be nothing accomplished by after much discussion the letter from McDonnell was read and the charge against Wilkinson preferred?

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A full report of the committee will be published to-merrow morning.

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Forrest Thompson, holder of the strike-out record of the District, who has been doned to be seen to the Sunday School League, and also for Mrs. Stecher.

Secretary Shurtleff was asked to look into the man who are playing on one and on two teams, but after considerable discussion the matter was laid on the table for Tuture reference.

This practically sums up the business that was transacted at the meeting last alight, as the majority of the time was latken up with wordy arguments.

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AMATEUR LEAGUES. TESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Bankers' League—No game.
Capital City League—Navy Yard, 5;
Seamen Gunners, 2;
Commercial League—Havenner, 6; Telephone.
Departmental League—Interstate, 7;
Agriculture, 5;
District League—Adama, 9; G. P. O., 0
(forfet),
Independence League—Kandama Independence League-Kendall, 9; Waverley, 5. Marquette League-Corcoran, 13; Co. K., 3. K., Z.
Olympia League-White Haven, II
Southland, R.
R. R. Y. M. C. A. League-No game.
Southern R. R. League-Law, 2; Book League-White Haven, 12; R. R. T. M. U. Assue-Law, 2; Book-Bouthern R. R. League-Law, 2; Book-Respers, 1.

Buburban League-Peworth, 10; Park Ylew, 1.

Sunday School League-Ninth, 9; Ham-line, 2.

Colored Departmental League-Post-office, 5; Bureau, 8 (forfeit).

GAMES TO-MORROW.

Bankers' League-No game. Capital City League-Marines cial League-C. & P. vs. Moses cental League-Commerce and Interior.
League Columbia 101 vs. Olympia Lesgue-Woodland vs. South-R. R. Y. M. C. A. League—Car vs. B. R. R. F. R. C. A. League-Treasurers vs. Auditors.
Auditors.
Suburban League-Silver Spring vs. Petworth.
Sunday School League-Ingram vs. North Carolina.
Colored Departmental League-Open date.

The Strayer's Business College team gave a fine exhibition of ball on the Ellipse yesterday afternoon by defeating the Phi Sigma Kappa team 14 to 0. The college team had their opponents at their

mercy all through the game. The good work of the battery-Yetton and Thorson-was the feature of the game Sec

Lincoln Colored Team Ready. The Lincoln Athletic Club, the colore baseball champions of Alexandria, would basebai chanpons of Accasing, would be pleased to arrange games with any colored basebail team in the District of Columba and vicinity. The clubs desir-ing games will communicate with Frank Watson, manager of the Lincoln Athletic Club, Alexandria, Va.

HAMLINE HUMBLED

Clyde Richmond Twirls the Christians to Victory.

In one of the best played games o the season. Hamiline received a severe joilt in the Sunday School League race when Ninth lowered their colors to the tune of 9 to 2. Hamiline's defeat can vell be layed at the hands of Clyde Richmond, who allowed but four hits, three of which were flukes. Richmond gave one base on balls and fanned nine



NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

TRI-STATE LEAGUE. At Harrisburg-Harrisburg 0; Reading & At York-York, 7; Lancaster, L. At Altona-Altinona, 2; Wilmington, L. At Johnstown-Jonnetown, 5; Trenton, &

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE. Besamah Sasannah, S. Colombia, S. Albany Albany, 4: Colombia, L. Jacksonville-Jacksonville, 2: Macon, 3. Augusta—Augusta, 2: Charleston, L.

NEW YORK STATE LEAGUE. At Syracuse Syracuse, 5; Albany, 5, Se Syracuse, 3; Albany, 2, At Utica-Utica, 2; Troy, 8, At Electro-Elmin, 1; Wilkesharre, 0, At Binghamton-Binghasuton, 2; Scraute

AMATEUR STARS OF THE DISTRICT-No. 12

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN DAVIS.



"Inky," as Benjamin Franklin Da-vis is better known to all the ama-teurs of Washington, first started his baseball career with the Busi-ness High School teams, being a member of the champion nine of

Playing the short field then, "Inky" put up a swell game, and was responsible for the majority of the Stenographers' runs that season. Always a good clouter, "Inky" is one of the fastest men on the paths in the district, and is a fielder par In 1909 and 1910 "Inky" played

with the Manhattan team of the In-dependence Lengue, batting well up in the charmed circle both years. and leading the third-sackers, where he has player the past few seasons.

Last year saw Benjamis Franklin a member of the champion American Security and Trust Company team. winner of the Bankers' League race

winner of the Bankers' League race as well as the winner of the section B of the post-season series.

Playing the hot station for the Bankers. They' easily outclessed the other third suck guardians, and had the leadership all to himself.

This season 'They' is again a member of the American Security and Trust team, and he is also playing with the Silver Spring outfit in the Suburban League. He is hitting in his old-time form and is the same old star in the field and on the bases. Playing with Georgescews University

old star in the field and on the bases. Playing with Georgetown University, 'Inky' pit up one of the best games at third base over witnessed in either the amateur ranks or the collegiate circles of the District.

Owner Taylor, of the Boston American Leagle citch, made 'Inky' a flattering offer to join the Red Sex, but, as 'Inky' has two years more before he griddates from the university, he turned the offer down. Paray Donovan has 'Inky's word that should he ever make up his mind to enter the professional ranks he will give the Roston club the first call on his services.

One of the best liked ball tossers machly known as 'The best of good 15, W. 2

Tidewater League Playing Poor Ball

Cornell Tigers or Sewage Pumping Station Could Win Pennant in Jerkwater Circuit. Local Boys Make Good.

The Tidewater League, the outlaw circult of Virginia, is playing about the same class of ball that is being put up daily in the Capital City Léague. Taken as a whole, the Cornell Tigers or the Sewage Pumping Station teams could

just about land the pennant in the "jerkwater" organization.

The Elizabeth City team, now leading in the race for the pennant, has "Yum" Moreland and Bernie Cleveland, products of the local sandlots. While "Yum" has long been famed as a clouter of circuit wallops, his batting average to date is close on to the .600 mark, and "Yum

never hit for that in the amateur ranks of the District.

Bernie Cleveland caught a fair game

last season in the Suburban, as well as in the Sunday School League, but he was never put in the "star receiver" class. Not a great hitter, Cleveland is a fair receiver and a good thrower, but Lodge or Noyes was acclaimed his superior by the majority of the amateur fans last

was never picked as a coming big leaguer.

It is hard to see just where the professional circuit has anything on what is conceded to be the fastest league in the District, namely, the Capital City organization, and it is for this reason that the writer does not heatlate to say that either the Cornell Tigers or the Sewage Pumping Station teams would come very near winning the pennent in the "jerkwater" league.

"Cottony" Beach, one of the comebacks, twirled good ball for the Old Point team, but, owing to sickness, had to return home after being with the team about a month. "Cottony" received a telegram last week to return but it doubtful if the fair-haired twirler goes back before the middle of July, should he return at all. Since his re-

LAW WINS OUT.

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feating the All Star team from the Totals 3 618 8 6 Totals 27 11 21 11 8

All Stars Beaten.

The All Stars dropped a ten inning contest to the Great Northerns yesterday 6 for 5. The Stars tied the score but were Laurel Trime St. Martin's.

nosed out in the tenth. Rosen stole borne with the winning taily. Both pitchers were hit freely. Score:

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Always the Same

Tharp's Berkeley Rye LOCAL' BOYS IN TIDEWATER LEAGUE

Bernie Cleveland.

COME-BACKS FROM TIDEWATER LEAGUE Tony Suess. Vie Gaussa. "Cotton" Beach.

home, "Cottony" has pitched sev

ing.

Take those men in a year or two and you will find several of them in the big

you will find several of them in the big show. Moreland has received an offer from the Cleveland Naps, and the Yankees have signed Don Brown, the former Laurel and Washington amaieur, who is hitting the ball for keeps for the Portamouth team. The Virginia League is not playing hair as fast ball this year as last. No team in the circuit has as many good ball tossers or the same team work as was put up in the league last season. Then the teams compared favorably with Clars B teams, but as the league stands at present, it does not compare with a Class D organization.

C. W. SWAN,

NAVY YARD WINS.

By defeating the Seamen Gunners, 5 to

COMPANY K WALLOPPED.

Corcoran Takes Slow Game in Mar-

quette League, 13 to 3.
Company K fell before the strong Cor-oran nine yesterday in the Marquette league, 13 to 3. Mollipeaux was in rare form and allowed the losers but six scat tered hits. Waple's home run in the fifth, with the bases filled, featured. Scote:

Tenner, I. Umpire—Mr. Oredille. Time of game—I bour and is minutes.

ALL STARS NOSED OUT.

Defeated by Alexandria B. C. in Fast

Game, S to G.

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Laurel Trime St. Martin's.

Bureau Forfette.

Bureau failed to have nine uniformed men on the field when the unpire called time resterday in the Colored Departmental League and therefore forfeited to Post-office. In the exhibition game which followed Bureau defeated Pest-office in one of the fastest games seen on the league grounds this season, 5 to 2.

Carrolla Take Two.
Carroll Institute defeated the K Street
Stars on the Monument grounds yesterday.
First game, 4 to 7; second game, 4 to L

WESTERN LEAGUE.